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SUBJECT: SPOKANE -- EXPO 74

1. DEPARTMENT APPROVED SOVIET REQUEST TO MAKE CITY OF SPOKANE, WASHINGTON, TEMPORARILY OPEN FOR TRAVEL TO SOVIET NATIONALS, INCLUDING THOSE STATIONED IN US, FOR DURATION OF EXPO 74 -- I.E., UNTIL NOVEMBER 3, 1974. UNDER THIS TEMPORARY ARRANGEMENT, SOVIET EMBASSY, CONGEN, AND SMUN PERSONNEL MAY TRAVEL TO SPOKANE BY SUBMITTING USUAL TRAVEL NOTE 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE BUT WITHOUT NEED TO ASK FOR EXCEPTION UNDER TRAVEL REGULATIONS TO VISIT CLOSED AREA.

2. DEPARTMENT ALSO APPROVED SOVIET REQUEST TO TDY CONSULAR OFFICER TO SPOKANE FOR DURATION OF EXPO 74, BUT WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT OFFICE IN WHICH CONSULAR OFFICER WORKED WOULD HAVE NEITHER DIPLOMATIC NOR CONSULAR IMMUNITY.

3. DEPARTMENT TURNED DOWN THIRD SOVIET REQUEST IN REGARD
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TO SPOKANE FOR PERMISSION TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC COURIER

RUN, SINCE EXPO 74 IS NEITHER DIPLOMATIC NOR CONSULAR
ESTABLISHMENT.

4. IN CALL ON DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY ARMITAGE MAY 3,
SOVIET MINISTER COUNSELOR GROMYKO THANKED DEPARTMENT FOR
GRANTING REQUESTS ON TRAVEL AND CONSULAR OFFICER AND DID
NOT REITERATE REQUEST FOR DIPLOMATIC POUCH. RUSH

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